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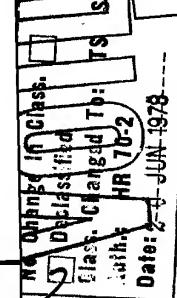
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SUBJECT Military Activities near the 38th Parallel

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1. ROX naval forces captured Yonpyon Island (125-40, 37-38) with minor resistance, and have complete control.
2. One thousand North Korean troops are digging entrenchments and erecting barracks at Parhang-ni (125-48, 37-56). About half the troops are armed with rifles; the rest are unarmed. In early September the unit obtained recruit replacements who are receiving intensive training. Sixty North Korean troops are digging trenches along the seashore of Choma-do (125-38, 37-44). The residents of these two areas are afraid that North Korean forces will confiscate their rice and, therefore, hope that UN forces will arrive before harvest time.

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4. North Korean troops in the Ongjin (125-22, 37-56) area include:

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a. Fifty North Korean troops in Ongjin City.

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- b. Two hundred North Korean troops establishing a defense line in the vicinity of Sogang-ni, Ongjin County approximately (125-57, 37-54).
- c. Three hundred North Korean troops are digging defense positions at Tungsan-ni (125-21, 37-42).

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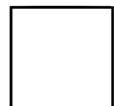
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- d. Three hundred troops are also digging at Pupo-ri (125-37, 37-48),  
Mungku-myon.
- e. Eight North Korean naval troops at Taesuap-to (125-46, 37-46),  
Songlim-myon.
- 5. Thirty ROK PW's are held at Ongjin police station. One North Korean  
soldier at Ongjin, a former member of the 8th Route Army of the  
Chinese Communist forces, stated that he was going to the Don River  
to bring back army horses.

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